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| INDEP. CLAIMS | 8 | MINUS | 8 | = 0 | X \$200 | \$ 0 |
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED AUGUST 10, 2005

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office action of August 10, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 15 of this paper.

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